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Title: INOSINE L-ARGININE SALT AND USES THEREOF

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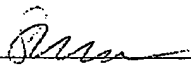
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 15, 2005, which set a 3-month shortened statutory period for response thereto, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows.

Amendments begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 4.